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NO. 3

DR. BOYD KILLED.

Thrown From His Car—He Survived But a Few Minutes.

Saturday afternoon near his home in the vicinity of Tolu, Dr. A. S. H. Boyd, one of the best known physicians in the county, was thrown from his car and sustained injuries that resulted in his death a few minutes afterwards. He usually traveled in a two wheel road car when visiting his patients, and about 2 o'clock he drove away from his home, going towards Tolu. A few minutes later his wife was attracted by the noise of a running horse, and she followed her husband down the road. Near the foot of the hill, a short distance from the house, she found Dr. Boyd lying in a gully unconscious, and near by were the overturned car and horse. She raised the alarm and neighbors answered her call. The unconscious form of the doctor was carried towards his home, but before reaching it he expired.

Dr. Clement was called and examined the body. There were bruises on his shoulder and breast, and probably internal injuries.

The horse he was driving had run away before and was considered a rather dangerous animal to drive, but Dr. Boyd was never afraid of him and was usually able to manage him. It is probably that the horse began running from the start and, becoming unmanageable, ran the wheels of the car into the ditch over-turning the vehicle while running, throwing the doctor out with such force as to produce fatal injuries.

Dr. Boyd came to this county from Livingston several years ago, and located at Tolu, where he had built up a thriving practice, and stood high as a physician, and he had many warm personal friends throughout the county. He was always a warm hearted, generous man to his friends, and no friend ever called upon him for a favor, when in his power, that it was not cheerfully given, indeed it was always afforded him genuine pleasure to help a friend. In his profession he was generous and charitable to a fault. He answered the calls of the poor and relieved their afflictions just as cheerfully as he did those of the wealthy and if the bill was not settled it was alright with him. He was perhaps a little blunt in address, but beneath the homely exterior there beat a warm heart and bounded the impulses of a gentleman.

He served four years in the Confederate army, coming to this country at the close of the war, practically a stranger and without means, he set to work to win a living; he attended medical college and began the practice of medicine and soon built up a good reputation.

He married a Miss Threlkeld in Livingston county, and reared a family; his wife and several children survive him.

DEATH'S HARVEST.

Mrs. Albert Lamb Died at Her Home in Marion Friday.

Mrs. Lulu B. Lamb, wife of Mr. Albert U. Lamb, a well known citizen, died at her home in Marion Friday, after a long illness. She had been in poor health many months, and for eight months has been confined to her bed, gradually sinking until the end came Friday. The interment took place at the new cemetery Saturday afternoon, and was attended by a large concourse of friends and relatives. Rev. James F. Price conducted the services and tenderly the remains were placed to rest.

Mrs. Lamb was the daughter of the late John W. Harpender, and a sister of Messrs. T. A. and E. E. Harpender, two of our county's good citizens. She and Mr. Lamb were married about fourteen years ago, and three children, all of whom survive her, blessed the union.

The many friends of the husband and children deeply sympathize with them in their great bereavement.

When You Take Your Vacation

the most necessary article to have with you (after your pocket book) is a bottle of Foley's Colic Cure. It is an absolute prevention or cure of all derangements of the bowels caused by a change of water. You are likely to need it.

A Negro's Opinion.

We are in receipt of a marked copy of the Lexington Standard, a negro paper, published by a negro, and the editor takes a whack at politics, politicians, and debunks his position as follows:

"There is nothing permanent in a party has the name. Neither of the parties has very much use for the Negro only so far as they can use him. With the Standard it is men not party. If the Republican ticket has on it a bad man, a 'nigger-bater' we shall advise the Negro to scratch his name. If the Democratic or Populist get out a ticket we will scan the individuals over and if we find a man on either ticket who is better in morals and intellect, and more friendly to the Negro than his opponent who is on the Republican ticket, we will vote for such a man. This is politics, this is common sense; it is understood and the white man, be he Republican or Democrat or Populist or Whistnot, who questions this, our right to patriotic man—an expression of our honest opinion—an intelligent exercise of the elective franchise, he is a charlatan, an enemy to his country and certainly not a friend to the Negro.

A white man can be what he chooses and we can see no valid reason why a Negro should not exercise the same right of citizenship. A bad Republican is no better, no worse than a bad Democrat and it is why we reserve the right to discriminate as to men so as to give the party the benefit.

The Standard is teaching the Negro that he can never be a political success as long as he is led by the nose by white men who will say anything and do anything however far from the truth, in order to get his vote. He must reach up into the dignity of that manhood which scorn to acknowledge base submission to the basest of any man or party. The Negro to be a political success, must shake off party allegiance and look toward to the destiny of himself and posterity.

He must not allow himself to be dictated to, but exercise his own judgment with the ballot. He must take a stand for his race and live, or die, strive to build up to honored and respected dignity among men. He must respect no white man that will question his title to patriotic manhood. If even Negroes themselves should become untrue to this measure, they are nothing more than a sounding brass and tinkling cymbals.

It is hoped that one in the future will question the Standard as to its politics. It has none. We are going to carefully read the platform of both the parties and what are the chances for their being carried out. We shall without fear or favor support the one we think is to the best interest of the Negro and the Commonwealth. We shall hunt up the moral characters and political life of each and every candidate, especially shall we find out what has been their attitude in state and national affairs, toward the Negro. The worthy ones the Standard will support, the unworthy ones the Standard will oppose in keeping with its motto—race first, best friend next, men not party; principle, not party name.

A Boy Killed.

A few days ago the nine-year old son of Mr. Stepe, was killed by a horse and killed, on the farm of Mr. Joe Hina, of Belle Meade. The little boy came with his father from his home in DeKoven to Mr. Hina's to spend the week, his father being engaged in working in timber. He was riding the horse to water with another boy when the animal became frightened at a nit-fly and plunged, throwing the little rider and kicking him in the back as he fell. The blow was so severe that the boy lived only about twenty minutes.

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DEBOE

And Lindsay Consult Over Census Patronage

Frankfort, Ky., June 28.—Senator Deboe came here today to see Senator Lindsay in regard to the appointment of Census Supervisors for this State. They held a "preliminary conference in regard to the supervisor (or) and as Senator Deboe wanted Senator Lindsay to agree to all of his (Deboe's) appointments no conclusion was reached. Senator Deboe filed his list of recommendations, but no action will be taken on them until an agreement is made, as it is claimed "they should be non-partisan officers." The result of the conference here today is not made public.

Senator Deboe has shaved off his mustache. His friends hardly knew him here. From this fact is due the "renewal of acquaintance" of the Governor of Kentucky and the junior Senator. They passed on St. Clair street today. It is generally known that the two statesmen have not been sufficiently cordial to exchange courtesies for some time. The Governor was going up the street and Deboe was coming toward the statehouse. "Good morning," was the greeting cordially exchanged by each simultaneously as they passed. Neither had recognized the other until their voices betrayed them, and they passed on. Onlookers who witnessed the little scene were amused, but neither statesman halted in gait in the least. Their friends are having some fun over the incident.

VOLUNTEERS WANTED.

Forty Thousand Men to Be Enlisted for Service in the Philippines.

Washington, June 28.—Secretary Alger, Adj. Gen. Corbin and Col. Brd, Assistant Quartermaster General in charge of transportation, had an hour's consultation with the President today relative to the question of re-enforcements for Maj. Gen. Otis.

A definite decision has been reached to continue recruiting men at all the recruiting stations for service in the Philippines, and Secretary Alger said when he left the White House after the conference that Gen. Otis would have 40,000 men when the rainy season closed, for a resumption in active operations.

There are seventy recruiting stations in the United States, and enlistments are to be taken at all of these stations. The enlistments are to be for service in the regular army and recruits are to be organized into regiments or assigned to regiments already formed after enlistment. The organizations as such are to be accepted if sufficient recruits can be obtained by regular enlistment. Adj. Gen. Corbin said the enlistments would be for three years, although the law for the creation of the provisional army of 35,000 in excess of the regular army of 65,000 provides only for such a force until 1901.

Arrangements are to be made at once for increasing the transportation necessary to get these additional troops to the Philippines.

The decision to re-enforce Gen. Otis by the end of the rainy season is interpreted to mean that aggressive campaigning will cease until the bad weather ends. Until that time our operations will probably be confined to occasional excursions, to places in close vicinity to our lines, where the insurgents may have congregated in force. By remaining quiet and under good shelter during the rainy season it is hoped the health of our troops will be preserved and the danger from climatic fevers reduced to a minimum.

ANOTHER TICKET.

The Prohibitionists To Nominate a Fall State Ticket.

The State Convention of the Prohibition party will be held in Louisville August 1 and 2. A complete ticket will be nominated and a vigorous campaign, it is said, will be prosecuted in the fall.

George W. Bain, of Lexington; Dr. M. P. Hunt and Col. T. B. Demaree are mentioned for the gubernatorial nomination.

Attention Old Soldiers.

The manufacturers have instructed druggists to give a bottle of 25 cents of Foley's Colic Cure free to the first soldier of the civil war that applies for same. It is the great remedy for Chronic Diarrhea, Cramp Colic and all bowel complaints.

A Perfect Church.

During the Southern Baptist Convention in Louisville, in May last, Rev. J. B. Hawthorne, D. D. delivered a sermon in the Broadway Baptist church, based on Hebrews vi:1, a synopsis of which was published in a city daily.

There were three divisions to his discourse, as follows: "First, a perfect church; second, a perfect Christian; third a perfect world."

To show the learned preacher's idea of perfection as set forth above, we reproduce the synopsis of his sermon, since it is supposed to voice the faith of the Baptist church touching these points:

"I set before you God's picture of a perfect church. It is united in the spirit of Christ; one Lord, one faith, one baptism. Every member joined to every other member in every spiritual life and worthy to be called virgin bride of Christ. Can you find such a church? I think not. We are wont to turn back to the church at Jerusalem, planted by the twelve Apostles. In many ways, it was inferior to some of the churches of today. The church at Corinth would not be fellowshiped by our present churches. Some of our district associations which put the Baptist brand on everything that has been dipped from the days of John the Baptist would reject it. Nor do we find the perfect church among the Galatians, the Ephesians or at Rome. It is not in the Second, Third, Fourth nor Fifth century, nor in the dark ages, nor in Luther's glorious morning. Not in the days when John Bunyan was put in Bedford Jail. Do we find it among ourselves? Some of us claim to be saints par excellence. No, no, where do we find it in the past or present.

"Now, the second ideal is the perfect Christian. What is he? He is one dead to sin, dead to self and alive only to Christ, victorious over the world within and the world without. Where is he? In the congregation? Let him stand up. He can't be found. He is only, nor in any Catholic manner, nor Methodist holiness meeting, nor Presbyterian synod, nor Landmark Baptist church, nor in the Southern Baptist convention. There are many such shining characters, but not perfect men.

"The third ideal is the perfect world. Have you seen it? It is not the world of the past, or present, but of the future. Inspired prophets saw it, when the golden tie of love bound man to man, nation to nation, when the lion and the lamb lie down together. That perfect world shall be an extension to heaven.

"In view of all these things, what shall we do? Shall we repudiate our divine ideals as too lofty? No, let us hold on to our ideals, let us preserve with increasing energy and zeal. If we surrender our ideals, we shall degenerate. Let us be discouraged, consider Christianity's triumphs. Its power is now greater than ever. Before the Messiah, learning was for the few, Christianity has opened the temple of learning to all. Consider the greatness of our possibilities. The children of heaven are not born to be beggars. It is the purpose of God, our Father, to bring us to perfection, Christ shall come by and bye, bringing with Him the church above to the church below, and all shall be forever with Him, knowing as we are known, perfect in His likeness."

TOWN FIRED.

Battle Between Union and Non-Union Miners at Union City.

Carbondale, Ill., July 1.—Union City, named from the fact that it is occupied by union miners, was the scene of a battle last midnight, and as a result the town is in ruins.

The non-union negroes and other men employed by Brush at his mine near Fredonia, incensed over the killing of the negro women yesterday, went to the camp which consists of pine houses, and opened fire on the union miners, which was at once returned. The battle raged until the union miners ran from their homes and took refuge in a clump of timber close to the village.

The non-union miners at once applied the torch to the houses and all were burned to the ground.

The men had destroyed all property previously occupied by the union men. They then moved on the woods and set daylight the fuel-lake was kept up. No lives have so far been reported lost in the engagement.

CHURCH DEDICATION.

The New Methodist Church at Carrollville Dedicated June 25.

Carrollville, Ky., July 3.—Sunday June 25 the new Methodist church at this place was dedicated to the worship of God, and rarely has our little town tried to out-do itself. Much preparation had been gone through with for this occasion and complete success crowned the efforts. Long before preaching time people from Salem, Hampton, Lolo, Tolu, Golconda and Elizabethtown began to come in.

When the first song began the people began to crowd into the neat edifice and almost before the song was through every inch of standing room was taken and still many were out side unable to get in.

Dr. W. K. Piner, of Hopkinsville, preached the dedicatory sermon. He stated that he had no set sermon for the occasion, but choose rather to preach the plain gospel of Christ. But whether it was a set sermon or not, we doubt whether our people have ever heard anything to equal it. His text was: "And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God." He divided "all things" into two classes—the good things and bad things. He said that this affected one class, those who love God. How good can bring about good we can see and understand, but how evil could effect good the finite cannot reason it out, but it is nevertheless true. Misfortune often comes, tears often blind our vision, the heart strings are often rent and we are want to cry: "Lord, what good is this to me?" The how we know not, but the lesson is clear after the experience. Pain is bad, sickness and death are bad, not only bad, but repulsive. But God means it for our good even though the glass through which we look is dark.

The preacher's diction was pure and simple, his voice musical, his bearing dignified but not haughty, and he was so free with his message that he was not only understood, but the undivided attention of the great throughout.

At the close of the sermon it was announced that it would take \$300 to clear the building of all indebtedness. Within an hour more than the necessary amount was raised and then the trustees, Messrs. Harris, May and Rhodes stood before the great audience while the beautiful dedicatory exercises of the Methodist church were gone through with.

Rev. B. A. Brandon, the pastor, who has labored so untiringly was indeed a happy man when he saw that his labors were not in vain. Much credit is due the people here and elsewhere who have helped with money or work.

The edifice is a very neat one, being 48 feet long and 32 feet wide, with arched ceiling 24 feet high at the highest place and has a seating capacity of 300.

Much credit is due the carpenters, George Sharp and George Nunnery, who together gave \$135.

WANT PEACE

Do the Southern Island in the Philippine Archipelago

Manila, July 2.—Prof. Schurman, of the Philippine Commission, has returned from a trip through the southern islands of the archipelago. He says he found the people all anxious for peace, and believes the suppression of the Luzon rebels will insure loyalty in all the other islands. Local government is being instituted in the towns of Cavite province. The schools of Manila will open today. English will be taught. The heavy rains continue, and the country is flooded. The military camps and trenches are miry.

LOSE THEIR JOBS.

Trusts Throw Thirty-five Thousand Drummers Out of Work.

Albany, N. Y., July 1.—President Dowe in his annual address to the Commercial Travelers' Association in convention here dwelt on the effect of trusts upon commercial travelers and what the commercial travelers should do under the circumstances. He declared that he had obtained from the best possible and most reliable sources that 35,000 commercial travelers had been thrown out of work through trusts and that 25,000 more had had their salaries reduced. One in every ten was affected.

Don't Stop Him

He has a bad attack of colic and is making for the drugstore after a bottle of Foley's Colic Cure. 25 and 50c.

Why Not Attend Church?

It is very necessary to attend to the business affairs of life, which so much concern us and those dependent upon us, and to say, as has been said by some, that we care nothing for "the things of this world," we find ourselves wrapped up in a gross mistake. For it is evidently and clearly before the minds of all intelligent persons that the things of this world are of vast importance to everyone of Adam's race. But life, after all things has been considered, is all we possess, and to neglect to care for life we have lost all education, wealth and luxuries that afford temporal pleasures. But life made pure by the application of the Spirit of God and a constant communion with Jesus Christ is the assurance of endless pleasure through all the myriads of coming time, Jesus well said: "No man can come to me, except the Father which sent me draw him." Most all, if not all persons feel the drawing power, especially when the Sabbath day draws and on vision speaks out beholding the beauties of the day of rest. How often do we feel that we should lay aside all worldly affairs and resort to the church of God, hear the Gospel and make a strong effort to get saved. God is calling through Jesus Christ, through his messengers and through the church, and I say in behalf of the Bride of Lamb that we cannot afford to procrastinate. It is the imperative duty of the members of the body of Christ to be built as lions, wise as serpents and harmless as doves. Christ cannot reign supremely in our hearts until we become true witnesses of His great salvation.

There are six churches in the town of Marion from whose pulpits the gospel is being preached, and therefore no excuse for not hearing the gospel. But I fear some will wait too long and at last cry for the falling of the rocks and the mountains to hide them from the face of an eternal God whose august presence has no bounds or limits. The call comes again and is again repeated, come to church, hear our sermon and see what the Lord is doing from His holy hill.

We have learned of some of the wickedness that is going on in this town; and not only this town but in most every other town in our beloved country. Mischievous, lying, deluding and hidden wickedness which shall be proclaimed on the house-top. "For there is nothing done in secret but that shall be revealed." The gracious Lord in his love and devotion to mankind; though they have sinned, yet He will forgive.

This article has been written as an appeal for help, and this help is desired immediately from the followers of Christ by exerting every effort and energy to get the people to attend church and get them saved.

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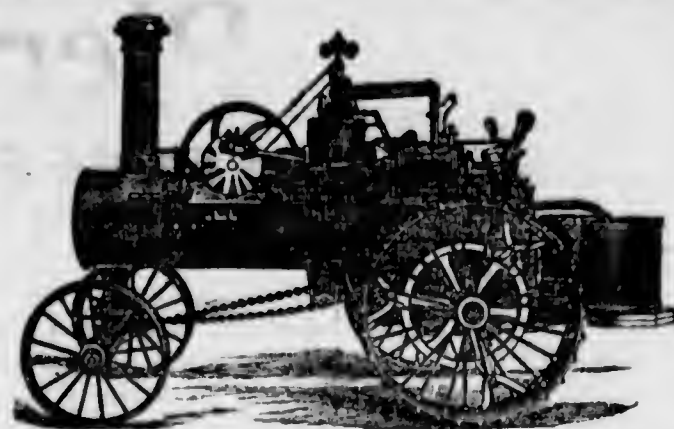
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We are authorized to announce

T. J. NICKEL

a candidate to represent Crittenden and Livingston counties in the next General Assembly of Kentucky. His candidacy is subject to the action of the Democratic party. Election November 1899.

Politics has usurped our gold mining industry in the public's attention.

Why don't they send Jack Chinn to Clay county to stop that racket?

The Republican State Convention meets in Lexington Wednesday. Taylor has the nomination for governor or nailed down and the nails are clinched.

There is one thing sure to occur if Goebel is elected Governor and Harry McChesney Superintendent of Public Schools—the school book trust will get a black eye.

Though Capt. Stone failed to win, he made a brilliant race for the nomination for Governor. He grew in strength every day after he began speaking.

Gold is going to Europe again, but that need not curtail the amount of money the people haven't got, as none have gold. As a standard gold is mighty handy to juggle with.

There are both dissatisfied Democrats and Republicans in this section. The Republicans of this section of the State were for Pratt, and the Democrats for Stone, but some how the two favorites are not in it.

In fighting the Philippine seem to be following their natural inclinations. While they are not much soldiers, what can they do besides? As they have no other job, they will probably stick to their present calling for a long time.

The shiftings of the Louisville daily press, and its "enthusiastic" support today of the things it fought yesterday, reminds us of the lawyer at the bar, hating for the client who has engaged his services, regardless of politics.

The grand jury means to stop the pernicious habit of "firing deadly weapons at random on the public highway." That's right, if the boys must let their guns, let them shoot at the bar roads that frequent our public highways to the disgust of every traveler.

It seems that we are to have four State tickets, and the sovereign will have an extensive domain, politically speaking, over which to roam in search of a ballot to suit. One beauty of our institutions is that if we can't get what we want, there is nobody to keep us from taking what we don't like.

Everyday some of our business men receive notice that "owing to a combination the price" of this and that article has been advanced. It takes a drought or a frost or a flood to advance the price of the article the farmer has to sell. While a combination or trust manages the price of the article he has to buy.

The Courier Journal is industriously fighting bimetalism, and at the same time enthusiastically supporting Goebel for Governor on an uncompromising free silver, Bryan platform. Gen. Hardin's candidacy for the nomination for Governor was materially injured by the Post's support, and now Goebel will find that his candidacy will not be advanced by

First District's Vote.

On the final vote between Hardin and Goebel in the Louisville convention the counties voted as follows:

FOR HARDIN.

Ballard	8
Caldwell	4
Calloway	13
Carlisle	8
Crittenden	8
Blickman	10
Lyon	6
Marshall	10
McCracken	8
Trigg	8
Total	82

FOR GOEBEL.

Caldwell	4
Fulton	7
Graves	23
Livingston	7
McCracken	7
Total	48

True to State and Party.

And in this connection The Dispatch wants to say that no matter who else may have yielded to the hypnotism or tyranny of the boss, no matter who else may have forgotten the great principles of the party, Bryan and the cause of the people, John Rhea and Ollie James stood firm and true to the best interests of their party and state. When Kentucky Democrats renew the fight for the true faith, when they prepare to take possession of the organization, to say that the people and not a boss shall rule the Democracy, and that there shall be no turning away from the progressive action taken at Chicago in 1896, they will look to Rhea and James to lead the loyal hosts of Western Kentucky; and they will not be disappointed.—Louisville Dispatch.

We reported last week the name of the nominee for governor, and were not altogether happy over the selection, but were we out looking for a balm for the wound, we would not go further than the remainder of the ticket to find it. It could not be improved and the Democrat must be a long way from home who objects to W. C. P. Beckham for Lieutenant Governor, R. J. Breckinridge for Attorney General, Gus Coulter for Auditor, S. W. Hager for Treasurer, C. B. Hill for Secretary of State, H. V. McChesney for Superintendent of Public Instruction, I. B. Nall for Commissioner of Agriculture.

BLACKFORD IN LUCK.

Gets the Railroad By Donating One Thousand Dollars.

The citizens of Blackford are to be congratulated on their enterprising shown in securing the railroad to come to their town. The road was to go to some point on the I. C. and the Blackford people knew the way to induce it to come their way, so they went to work and raised a donation of \$1000, and now have a contract with the Construction Company, by which the railroad will be sure to connect with the I. C. at Blackford. This deal meets the approval of all here who are interested. The county will get the benefit of every foot of the road and much more of the country will be opened than would have been had the projectors run the road to Sullivan. When the road is completed Blackford, Clay and Lissman will be in close touch with Dixon, and the western portion of the county will develop beyond the expectation of all concerned.—Dixon Journal.

Fire at Bowling Green destroyed Potter's Opera-house and burned a number of other buildings. The loss is nearly \$80,000.

The Mayor of Muskegon, Mich., was assassinated by a disappointed office seeker, who committed suicide.

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Dedie Clement	Annie Hill
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Lara Wood	Kitty Cain
Electa Alvis	Sue Moore
Emma Terry	Mrs. Lillie Flannery

MONDAY MORNING.

Institute was called to order by Mr. Chas. Evans.

After singing and devotional exercises the following persons were elected as officers:

J. W. Lamb, President.
Oscar Towsley, Vice-President.
Miss Lena Woods, Secretary.
Miss Maggie Moore, Assistant Sec.

Dr. Holbrook, of Pittsburg, Pa., who had been employed as instructor of the Institute, was then introduced by Mr. Evans.

The instructor made an address and gave an outline of his plan for the work in the afternoon.

The Institute then adjourned to meet at 1:30 p. m.

AFTERNOON.

Institute was called to order by president.

Dr. Holbrook gave a talk in which he said: "The essentials in school are recitation, study and drill. The study is the place where the pupils need help. The teacher should not do for the pupil what he can do for himself."

Topic:—Give an ungraded school, housed in an unsuitable and ill-kept school building; grounds unadorned, unfenced and untidy; in a community of little wealth; with few advantages of books and apparatus; with evidence of lack of care and system abundant; parents and pupils apathetic. What means could an energetic teacher use to improve the condition and advance the interests of the pupils in his charge?

Mr. Chittenden opened the discussion and said he would use every possible means to get the control of the school. He would take care of his part of the school and continually give them something to keep them interested.

Mr. Hina said he endorsed what Mr. Chittenden said. We must try to interest the children and the parents will become interested through them.

Mr. Evans said the central thought was to make the child your friend. It is the teacher's duty to make the child your friend.

earn it and let the child see it. Then the problem will be solved.

Announcements made, the Institute then adjourned.

Prof. Coates, of Princeton, is in attendance, and that means added interest to the work.

Mr. Perrell and wife, nee Miss Martha Graham, attended Tuesday's session. They have been teaching at Huntington, Tenn., but expect to return to Kentucky this fall. Both have built up splendid reputations as teachers, and the school that secures them will be fortunate.

Many years have gone by since the Institute was inaugurated, but the faces of the teachers are as bright and young—upon the average perhaps younger—than at the first session. It has been said that the king never dies, and it seems to be equally as true in this section that the teacher never grows old.

Dr. Holbrook as a conductor of the Institute is measuring up to all that was expected of him, and that is saying a great deal, for the teachers of the county anticipated something beyond the usual in this work and the strong man they were looking to is giving them new ideas, firing them with new zeal and inculcating a higher, broader and deeper conception of the great work of teaching.

Tuesday afternoon the Institute adjourned to the opera house, and held a Fourth of July meeting. Patriotic addresses were delivered by Dr. Holbrook, Wallace Franklin and others.

FREDONIA.

Mrs. J. S. Buckler died July 1st of consumption. Funeral exercises conducted by Rev. J. P. Haisell Sunday 2 p. m.

Miss Susie Boyd, of Salem, returned home Monday after a two week's visit to relatives in Caldwell county.

Mrs. Gus Bently and Miss Isabel Howerton went to Rockport Monday for a visit of several days.

Miss Mary Wyatt went to Princeton Monday to see her cousin, Mrs. Jennie Gray who has been sick for several days.

A large crowd from all the surrounding towns, communities and counties attended Childrens Day services here Sunday.

Ed Dollar and family, of Princeton, were in town a day or two last week.

Everett Butler, of Salem, has been visiting relatives here for several days.

Marion Millen and daughter, Miss Irma, of Hampton, were visiting in town last week enroute to Elkton and Mammoth Cave.

The quality of wheat is good, but not over a half crop in this part of the county.

H. F. Ordway went to Dyersburg Monday.

Shoes of all kinds in latest styles at lowest prices.

C. B. Loyd.
You need a hat. See my \$1.50 line. Best values.

C. B. Loyd.
Full standard calicoes \$4c.

Sam Howerton.
Hargains in clothing—a big stock.

Sam Howerton.
Shoes to wear well, fit well and look well.

CAPRISVILLE.

Miss Della Southard came home from Hampton to attend the dedication.

Prof. Will Davis who closed a ten month's school in McCracken county returned to Lola via this place Monday.

Miss Ada Champion, of Lola visited Mrs. Ora Barnes last week.

Usher Robinson, of Golconda, Ill., visited friends and relatives here last week. Usher spent some time campaigning in Cuba during our late Spanish conflict and he had wonderful things to tell.

John C. Kemper who has been repeatedly solicited to make the race for the legislature declines because of the lack of time to canvass the two counties before the primary. By the way John is good material.

TOLU.

Ed. E. Weldon and family of Fords Ferry, spent Sunday in our village.

A number of our citizens went to Carrsville to attend the funeral of Dr. Boyd.

T. S. Croft is very ill; not much hope for his recovery is entertained by his friends.

We understand that John C. Wolfe was in Tolu looking for a location to go into business again.

Our farmers are about through cultivating their corn, and wheat threshing is now the order of the day.

James B. McFarlan and wife, of Elizabethtown, visited the family of T. A. McKelvey last Saturday.

IRMA.

A great sorrow is reeling over this place, caused by the death of one of the best doctors in the county—Dr. Boyd.

Elmer White is very sick.

Ed Sullenger is on the sick list.

Mr. Cephas Woolsey, of Indiana, is in our midst.

A nice lot of hogs were weighed here yesterday.

Meeting the third Sunday at Liberty Grove by Rev. Berry.

Some of our farmers are working very hard prospecting, digging for gold, silver and spar.

STRAY HOG.—A sandy, spotted male hog, weighing about 150 pounds, if marked, left ear cropped and right underbit, strayed from me about May 1. Information as to his whereabouts than fully received. Will pay for trouble.

Special attention given to dining the jurors. See us if you want the best meals while attending court.

W. H. Copher.

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Summer corsets 25c.

Ladies' corsets 25c.

Ladies' corsets covered 25c.

Straight matting 15c per yard.

Hemp carpeting 15c per yard.

We have the largest line of gents, youths and boys clothing in Salem.

Men's suits \$2.25 up; boys' suits 75c.

Ladies' crush skirts 40c up; white duck skirts 75c; fancy Shepherd

plaid skirts \$1.25, black and union

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Ladies' B'w'n shopping bags 25c

See our large line of mid-summer

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MONEY!

Write for circulars telling all about

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25 cents buys 60 interesting books,

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Out New Sensational Novels are the

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Marion, Ky.

STRAY MULES.—Two mare

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is as necessary as a broom for the house. For in the blood accumulate the germs of disease which, if not swept away, become manifest in boils, blotches, sores, ulcers, eruptions, eczema, tetter, and like diseases, that flay the flesh and sear the skin.

AYER'S Sarsaparilla

MAKES A CLEAN SWEEP

of all diseases that begin in the blood. What other medicines drive in, Ayer's Sarsaparilla drives out. Where other medicines make a surface show of health by cleansing the skin, Ayer's Sarsaparilla lays the foundation of health by cleansing the blood. It is conceded that

OF ALL DISEASES

the larger portion have their origin in impure blood. Cleanse the blood and you cleanse the skin. Foul blood cannot make a fair body. The shortest way to a sound body, a clear complexion, and a vigorous life, is to purify the blood with Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

"I can truly say that Ayer's Sarsaparilla saved my life after doctoring for years for blood poisoning. Not one bit of help in any way, shape, or manner did I receive before, by advice of a friend, I took Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It made me a new man, and completely cured me."

HARRY L. BROWN, 21 Hanover St., Manchester, N. H.

"Last year I was badly troubled with boils which I could not get rid of, until I procured Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Two bottles relieved me of my tormentors, and they have never made their appearance since."

B. B. BRADLEY, Danburgh, Ga.

"Five years ago my little boy became blind from the effects of scrofula. Our doctor failed to help him. We began the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla and two bottles cured him."

C. C. GOFFET, Canes, Ky.

"After six years' suffering from blood poisoning, I began taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and although I have used only three bottles of this great medicine, the sores have nearly all disappeared."

A. A. MANNING, Houston, Tex.

"I was afflicted with catarrh for a number of years, none of the doctors being able to help me. When almost hopeless of cure, a friend advised me to try Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and after using only three bottles, the cure was effected, and today I am perfectly healthy."

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Superior to All Others.

And it is cheaper too. If you have painting to do, see our agent and get prices.

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ABSOLUTELY PURE

Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

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the most necessary article to have with you (after your pocket book) is a bottle of Foley's Colic Cure. It is an absolute prevention or cure of all derangements of the bowels caused by a change of water. You are likely to need it.

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The Press.

R. C. WALKER, Publisher.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Gensang wanted.—Schwab.

Two weeks from Saturday is the Democratic primary.

Mr. E. H. Hultscaw has been very sick several days. He has flux.

Mr. L. H. James has been sick some days, unable to attend to business.

Marion seems to be a reading town. Two libraries have recently been established.

I. D. Nunn has appointed administrator of the estate of John Nunn deceased.

Miss Rilla Jenkins, of Elizabethtown, Ky., is visiting the family of T. C. Jameson.

Remember that I have a first class restaurant. Meals or lunches at all hours.—Copher.

Yesterday marriage license was issued to John Henry Paris and Miss Rosa Emma Travis.

Mr. J. H. Robinson went to Muhlenburg county Saturday to see his daughter, Mrs. McNary.

Miss Carrie Latham returned to her home at Hillsboro, Ill., Monday after visiting friends in Marion.

See here, that little subscription you owe the Press is needed in our business. Call and pay.

Mrs. H. A. Cameron and daughter Mrs. Henrie Daniel, spent Saturday and Sunday at Dawson Springs.

Mr. J. D. Foley, wife and son, Master Mark, of Lola, went to Dawson last week to spend ten days.

John Neel, of near Fredonia, went to Sturgis Monday where he has accepted a position in a hardware store.

Mrs. J. W. Givens and daughter, Mrs. J. C. Bourland, are visiting relatives in Hopkinsville this week.

Mr. Joe Wilbanks died at his home near Irma Tuesday morning after some weeks' illness of typhoid fever.

Mr. Carrol Orme, of New Albany, Ind., was the guest of his nephew, Dr. J. H. Orme, of this place, last week.

The Quarterly Meeting of the Shady Grove circuit of the M. E. Church South, will be held at Hill's Chapel July 21 and 22.

Miss Mina Wheeler and Mrs. Frank Wheeler expected to leave yesterday for California, but at the last moment they gave up the trip.

Lieut. Lewis Bebout spent several days in town returning to Paducah Tuesday. He thinks of traveling for a Paducah wholesale house.

Rev. J. D. Fraser, of Cadiz, was in town Friday enroute home from the District Conference. He was warmly greeted by his many friends in Marion.

Hons. Henry Burnett, W. M. Reed and W. D. Greer three eminent legal lights, of Paducah, were looking after business in circuit court here the first of the week.

Meas. A. M. Dunbar and John Devers, of Hopkins county, were in town Monday. They are talking of going into the livery stable business at this place.

Rev. E. B. Blackburn, assisted by Rev. Jas. Spurline, of Christian county, will begin a protracted meeting at Repton on the 29th. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

Mr. Frank Pogue, a leading farmer of Calloway county, was in town Tuesday. He is a brother of Mr. W. W. Pogue, of this county, and is spending a few days with him.

Wanted, dry May apple root. Schwab.

Mr. Joel Freeman, of Golconda, Ill., was in town the first of the week, the guest of his brother, Mr. J. M. Freeman. He came over to see his sister Mrs. Ahe Debow, who is seriously ill.

Prof. C. B. Hatfield, principal of one of the Paducah schools, was in town Monday. He is Grand Commander of the Golden Cross, and during the summer months looks after the interest of that well known order.

T. S. CROFT DEAD

An Old Land Mark Passed Peacefully Away Yesterday.

Mr. Thomas S. Croft died at his home in Tolu yesterday morning at 1 a. m., after an illness of some days.

He was one of the oldest and best known citizens of the county. He was in his 79th year and had resided in that section of the county for about, perhaps, forty years.

Industrious, frugal and thrifty he began life a poor man, and died perhaps the wealthiest man in the county. His wife and six children survive him—Mrs. G. B. Crowder and Mrs. W. E. Dowell, and Messrs. P. B. and J. B. Croft, of Tolu; and Mrs. J. O. Dixon and Mrs. Yates, of this place—all among the best people of the county.

The funeral took place at the residence in Tolu, and the remains were interred in the family cemetery on the Croft farm.

HENRY ROBINSON

Is Nominated for the Legislature By the Populist.

Saturday the Populists of Crittenden and Livingston counties held a delegate convention at Hampton and nominated Henry Robinson for the Legislature. The nominee is a well known farmer near Hampton. He went to school in Marion several years ago, and has served his district as magistrate.

Miss Fayne's Entertainment.

Miss Maybelle Fayne and pupils of Hampton, gave a recital at the opera house Friday night. They did not have a large crowd but these present appreciated the efforts of the most excellent young people from our neighboring town. Miss Fayne's recitations were good; she has easy, natural poise on the stage and a splendid conception of the authors. In the pantomime, "Nearer My God to Thee," Misses Ruby Mizell and Inez Nelson were accurate and graceful. The aesthetic drill, "Scarlet Fantasies," by Misses Nola McCord, Inez Nelson, Maggie Mahan, Maud and Nettie Lasher, Etta Price, Ruby Mizell, Linnie Crowder and Maybelle Fayne was decidedly the best feature of the entertainment. The figures formed by the various groupings of the young ladies were pretty and striking, the graceful handling of the acrobats was pleasing; the costumes of pink, the fresh, handsome faces and graceful movements added charm to the affair.

Why Is He?

At the county poor house an old man named Richard Williams is dying. He says his mother was a sister of Gen. Robert E. Lee, the great southern chieftain.

Mr. Williams came here a few days ago from Tolu, Crittenden county, in search of relatives, and failing to find them he was admitted to the county home. Dr. Pendley the county physician, says he will hardly survive the day.

He was once well-to-do, so he says, but misfortunes came, and a few years ago he was paralyzed. He now has absolutely no use of his lower limbs. Persons who know something of his history say there is no doubt of his relationship to Gen. Lee—Paducah News.

New Railroad.

Mr. J. W. Guess, of Tolu, was in town Monday, and in an interview the Press found him very much interested in the talked-of railroad from Harrisburg, Ill., via Elizabethtown, Ill., to Marion.

He says Chicago capital is interested to some extent in the matter and he thinks that, if the country to be traversed by the proposed road, will show the proper interest, the enterprise will assume tangible shape. The distance from Harrisburg to Marion is said to be fifty-two miles, and the country along the route, for miles on either side is without any railroad facilities whatever, and it is further, more a fine agricultural region and its interests in this line alone, to say nothing of the varied mineral interests that would be developed by a road, would be an item worth the serious consideration of capital.

We are loading another car of old iron. Bring in your old iron, copper, brass and rags. Schwab.

Deeds Recorded.

Leavell's heirs to F. B. Dycus five lots in Dycusburg, for \$75.

E. L. Nunn to Smith Newcom, 5 1/2 acres for \$45.

FOR SALE—Two male Durco Jersey pigs, two months old, entitled to register. J. W. Blue

NOTICE.

All persons indebted to me must settle at once. I am going to quit business and must collect up. This is the last warning, in a short time those owing me will find their accounts in the hands of an officer for collection. J. L. RANKIN, Ford's Ferry, June 16, 1899.

To those living in malarial districts Tutt's Pills are indispensable, they keep the system in perfect order and are an absolute cure for sick headache, indigestion, malaria, torpid liver, constipation and all bilious diseases.

Tutt's Liver Pills

COURT NOTES.

Berry Goes the Pen—Twenty-Four Indictments.

Mollie Wilson was adjudged to be of unsound mind and an idiot, and T. C. Campbell was appointed committee for her.

Mary Martha Travis was adjudged to be of unsound mind and an idiot, and T. C. Campbell was appointed committee for her.

In the case of the commonwealth against Frank Debow, for shooting in sudden heat and passion, the jury could not agree and was discharged and the case continued until the next term.

The case of the commonwealth against Ben King confederating, was continued by the defendants.

In the case of the commonwealth against Frank Jacobs, charged with shooting Tom Gilipie, the jury could not agree and was discharged, and the case continued until next term.

In the case of the commonwealth against Victor Hurst, charged with robbery, the jury returned a verdict of acquittal.

Pete Paris, breach of peace, fined \$20.

When the case of the commonwealth against Ranson Lafout, charged with house burning, was called the commonwealth's attorney dismissed it for re-submission to the grand jury and the witnesses were directed to appear before the grand jury.

The grand jury adjourned Tuesday after returning twenty-four indictments as follows:

Breaking into store 1.
Cutting in sudden heat and passion 2.
Malicious cutting with intent to kill 1.
House burning 1.
Breach of peace 3.
Firing deadly weapon at random on public high-way 3.
Rape 1.
Assault and battery 2.
Furnishing liquor to minor 3.
Concealed weapons 2.
Setting up game of raps for compensation 1.
Disturbing lawful assembly 2.
Gambling 1.
Grand larceny 1.

Jas. Berry, Harry Osorio and Harry Irwin were indicted for breaking into Glenn's store at Crayneville. Berry entered the plea of guilty and was given two years in the penitentiary; on account of the absence of witnesses the commonwealth continued the other cases and Osorio and Irwin were remanded to jail until the next term of court.

John D. Gregory was granted license to practice law.

ELECTION OFFICERS

Appointed to Hold the Democratic Primary July 22.

Under the call for the primary election to nominate a Democratic candidate for the legislature, the chairman of the county committee was directed to appoint officers to hold said election; and in pursuance of said order, I hereby appoint the following officers:

L. W. Cruce, Chmn.
Marion—D. Woods, clerk; W. G. Jarmahan, Jno. N. Clark, judges.
Dycusburg—P. K. Cooksey, clerk; Gus Graves, Owen Buzz, judges.
Frances—Marion Pogue, clerk; Bob Gibbs, Tom Hard, judges.
Union—J. B. Carter, clerk; M. C. O'Hara, Gid Taylor, judges.
Sheridan—Felix Cox, clerk; T. J. Hamilton, Charley Donakay, judges.
Tolu—Edgar Boazman, clerk; Will Crawford, A. J. Bennett, judges.
Ford's Ferry—Thos. Rankin, clerk; Henry Wood, Gabe Wathen, judges.
Bells Mines—Will Asber, clerk; Frank Sumnerville, E. L. Nunn, judges.

Piney—Fred Casner, clerk; W. E. Todd, Marion Ford, judges.

TRAGEDY AT CERULEAN

Woman Is Found Dead of a Pistol Wound—Man Arrested.

Hopkinsville, Ky., July 4.—Mrs. Sallie Wilson, a widow 25 years old, was found dead in her room at Cerulean Springs today, with an empty pistol at her side and a wound in her breast, near the heart.

It was supposed that she committed suicide; but at the corner's inquest circumstances were brought to light that led to the arrest of James Bush, a neighbor, charged with the murder.

Bush admits that he was present when the shot was fired, but he swears the woman killed herself. He is in jail at Cadiz, pending an investigation.

District Conference.

The District Conference held at Carverville adjourned Friday. Rev. J. W. Hopper, the evangelist, asked to be recommended for re-admission to the annual conference and, though there was some opposition, a majority of the votes were cast for him and he will probably become a member of the Louisville Conference.

Messrs. J. W. Guess, J. A. Akin, H. C. Cobb and A. B. Phipps were elected delegates to the annual conference.

Glenn's Chapel, Lyon county, was selected for the next meeting of the district conference.

Shady Grove, July 3.—Editor of Press.—Let me say through the columns of your valuable paper that our District Conference was a success, though not as large attendance as I have seen. Most of the preachers were present and made reasonable good reports. Some churches being built in the district. Your scribe hopes to have our church at Rote Bud dedicated between this and conference; it will be a gem when completed. Another beautiful feature about the conference it was exceedingly harmonious. The Holy Spirit manifested himself in the greatest power of any district conference I ever attended in this district.

I was forcibly reminded of our Henderson district conference held under the wise management of Rev. G. H. Hayes, who, while delivering an exhortation, the Holy Spirit manifested his presence in great power.

On Friday morning at our prayer services we had a great manifestation of the Holy Spirit's presence.

Let us pray that peace and harmony may prevail the remaining portion of the conference year, and seal our ministry with many souls.

Yours in Christ,
E. D. Boggess.

IN COREA

They Chop Off Their Heads and Have a Show.

Tecoms, Wash., July 3.—Late oriental advice states that twenty ringleaders of the rioters who destroyed and then burned the electric tram way cars at Seoul last month were executed in public at Corea's capital four weeks ago. They met their fate bravely. Their heads were cut off and exhibited in public places as a warning to all evildoers.

STATEMENT

Fredonia Valley Bank

KEELSEY, KY.

At the Close of Business June 30, 1899.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts.....\$40,414.58
Due from National Banks.....9,549.67
Due from State Banks.....16,330.15
Banking house and lot.....1,800.00
Furniture and fixtures.....1,100.00
Specie.....2,272.86
Currency.....2,985.00
Current expenses.....605.46

Total.....\$80,967.72

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in.....\$15,000.00
Surplus.....1,000.00
Undivided profits.....709.26
Bills re-discounted.....10,000.00
Deposits.....54,258.46

Total.....80,967.72

Edward Rice, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of July 1899.
C. B. Loyd, Notary Public.
My commission expires Jan. 13, 1900.

There is no ? About It.

No question indeed with those who have used it, but that Foley's Kidney Cure is absolutely reliable for all Kidney and Bladder diseases.

NOTICE.

I have received the tax-book for the year 1899, and am ready to receive tax for that year.

Jno. T. Pickens, Sheriff.
July 5, 1899.

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NOTICE.

All persons indebted to me are requested to call and settle. I shall need the money on Aug. 1, and you must settle before that date.

Ed. Cook,
Ford's Ferry, Ky., June 17, 1899.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers act as a faultless pill should, cleansing and reviving the system, instead of weakening it. They are mild and sure, small and pleasant to take, and entirely free from objectionable drugs. They assist rather than compel.

Jas. H. Orme.

FOB SALE—A set of jeweler

tools, stock of material, a small stock of jewelry, a lot of Indian relics and curios, and a grandfather's clock.

G. G. Hammond,
Marion, Ky.

J. A. Schear, of Sedalia, Mo., saved his child from death by croup by using One Minute Cough Cure. It cures coughs, colds, pneumonia, la grippe, and all throat and lung trouble.

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Bring us your gossamers. Schwab.

Bismark's Iron Nerve

Was the result of his splendid health, indomitable will and tremendous energy are not found where stomach, Liver, Kidneys and Bowels are out of order. If you want those qualities and the success they bring, use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They develop every power of brain and body. Only 25c.

J. H. Orme's drug store.

Come in and see my new goods. Fols, the tailor.

What you want is not temporary relief from piles but a cure today cured DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures piles and they stay cured.—J. H. Orme.

Stray Notice.

Taken up as a stray by F. M. Wring, 4 miles east of Salem, Ky., on the Salem and Fredonia road, on Claylick creek, near Emmaus church, on the 10th day of June, 1899, two 2-year-old mare mules. One is black with a nearly nose, the other is blue with a few gray hairs on her, mostly on hips, with no other marks or brands, and appraised by me at \$80.

Witness my hand this 19th day of June 1899.

T. A. Harpending, J. P. C. C.

Wonderful marvelous!

are expressions frequently heard about Foley's Kidney Cure. Do not fail to try this great remedy for all kidney trouble.

Stray Cow.

A red cow about six years old, long horns, strayed from me about two months ago. Any information leading to her recovery will be rewarded.

Mrs. Elijah White,
Marion, Ky.

To eradicate worms from the system give the child plain, nourishing food and WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE. The result will be, the worms will disappear and the child become healthy and cheerful. Price 25 cents at J. H. Orme's drugstore.

Card of Thanks.

EDITOR PRESS:—Please permit me through your columns to return my sincere thanks to the many friends who so kindly and tenderly assisted us in caring for my wife during her long and fatal illness. I shall ever remember with the deepest gratitude those who were with us and administered to the comfort of our loved one, so far as human power could, in our darkest hour.

Sincerely,
Albert Lamb.

There is a time for all things. The time to take DeWitt's Little Early Risers is when you are suffering from constipation, biliousness, sick headache, indigestion or other stomach or liver troubles.

J. H. Orme.

FARM FOR SALE.

135 acres; 80 acres cleared, 40 acres in grass and clover. Small residence. Located four miles from Marion, on Marion and Repton road. Price very low, terms one-half cash, balance on time. I also have for sale a farm wagon, a good well broken 5 year old mare, and a lot of plows, and a buggy all of which I will sell very cheap.

SAM HURST,
Marion, Ky.

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Wise people are also rich when they know a perfect remedy for all annoying diseases of the blood, kidneys, liver and bowels. It is Hood's Sarsaparilla, which is perfect in its action. It so regulates the entire system as to bring vigorous health. It never disappoints.

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Makes Weak Strong.—"I would give up a bottle for Hood's Sarsaparilla if I could not get it for less. It is the best spring medicine. It makes the weak strong." ALBERT A. JACOB, Douglassville, N. Y.

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Is caused by Imperfect Digestion and Disorder in the Liver and Bowels.

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Stereoscopic Lectures as the
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THE Brooklyn school-teacher stumbled over the darkness to a seat in the rear right of the middle aisle, guided by the usher's hand. He found her that it was impossible to find her the sent her numbered check called for, because once the stereoscopic views began the theater was entirely darkened, and must remain so until the finish. The Brooklyn girl didn't care, for she could see as well from one part of the house as the other, and she was vastly interested in the subject of the lecture, "The Grand Canyon of Colorado."

A beautiful view of a sandstone plateau was dissolving from the screen as she took her seat and the lecturer's voice sounded through the darkness in a somewhat dreary monotone, as a mighty cliff broke out upon the screen with magnificent distinctness followed by a low clapping of hands from the audience.

"Here," said the lecturer, "we see one of those wonderful works of nature before the majesty of which we pause awed and awe-stricken, conscious of the littleness of man, his aims, hopes and accomplishments. This giant cliff after some upheaval of nature, maybe centuries ago. Observe this."

Just then the Brooklyn girl was disturbed by the sound of some one cautiously making his way in her direction. She knew it was a man by the way he



AS THE LIGHTS FLARED UP.

stumbled over his feet, and she put out her hand instinctively to prevent him from stepping on her. Suddenly she felt her hand grasped convulsively, and a boyish voice, husky and muffled, sounded close in her ear. "Great Scott, Jessie, I've had the most dreadful time finding this seat in the dark! The usher said it was impossible to find her the sent her numbered check called for, because once the stereoscopic views began the theater was entirely darkened, and must remain so until the finish. The Brooklyn girl didn't care, for she could see as well from one part of the house as the other, and she was vastly interested in the subject of the lecture, "The Grand Canyon of Colorado."

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THE NEXT FRUIT CROP.

Outlook Is Not Quite as Disheartening as It Would Appear to Most on First Thought.

The coming season will not be as noted for its abundant crop of fruit as last. The excessively cold winter has killed so many trees and vines that we can hardly expect to have much more than a half or three-quarters of a crop, and in some localities even less. Consequently there was never a season when more attention was needed in the orchard, for by giving better culture to the fruit it is possible to make some amends for nature's shortcomings. There is always one redeeming feature about a small crop. Prices are apt to be higher, and this sometimes brings them up to a point where the grower has more than once been as small that they hardly paid for the time and labor bestowed upon their culture. A smaller crop with better prices may not be so good to the consumer, but it is apt to be better for the farmer's pocketbook. Thus the outlook for this year is not as gloomy as it would appear at first thought.

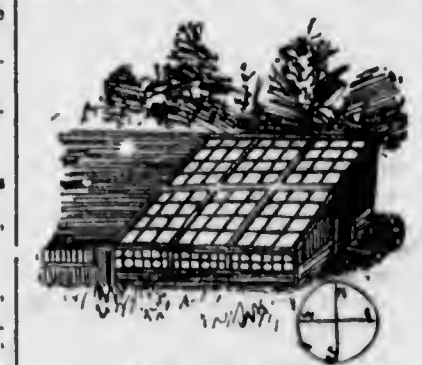
But there is need of preparation for it. More than ever it is necessary to give the trees and vines good cultivation, and protect them from the ravages of insects and disease. There is probably no orchard where the culture is so good that it could not be improved a little. By studying the trees carefully, and giving the best attention to the few number of trees that have withstood the cold, we can surely increase the yield to some extent. The outlook is not a matter for sorrow or regret so much as it is one for renewed effort to better culture.

In the first place it will pay to go through the orchard and cut out all except the trees that promise a fair crop. This is no time to nurse half dead trees. Either cut them back, or dig them up and replace them with others, and then give all the attention to the remainder. Sometimes there is life in a tree, which will spring up and thrive if the tree is cut back enough, but if left just as it is it will exhaust itself trying to distribute itself over a wide area. The pruning knife is sometimes the best friend in a season like this—C. S. Walters, in Journal of Agriculture.

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A structure which enables gardeners to get considerable space at a low cost.

Probably the most satisfactory low-cost greenhouse for forcing vegetables is found in the form of a half-span house facing the south or southeast, and having a comparatively flat roof composed of movable or partly movable sash, the front wall of the house also to be partly glass, in order to give



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Abundant light to the front bed or bench. A house of this character, and of moderate size, may be roofed with two rows of sashes seven feet long, the lap or junction of the two sashes in the center of the roof being supported by a wooden girder formed of a piece of three by four stuff resting on posts. The interior being spaced about eight feet apart. This length of roof would give a house nearly 13 feet in width, with front wall five feet high and back wall 7½ feet, and may be divided into three beds or benches of convenient width for working.—Rural New Yorker.

HORTICULTURAL HINTS.

We do not advise extensive melon culture. The markets in summer are usually glutted with melons.

Sweet corn comes up much sooner if it is sown over night in warm water, and the crop is fit for use just that much sooner.

Potatoes grow better if planted before beginning to sprout. The second crop of sprouts that start are not so strong as the first.

If the trees need pruning, it is easier to prune as soon as the necessity shows itself than it is after several seasons of neglect.

Potatoes will make good use of a large quantity of coarse manure, whether it is plowed under or put on the land after planting.

It is a good plan to mulch raspberries, as it has been shown that mulched plants will produce much better berries than those left unprotected by drying winds.—Western Plowman.

Black Knot in Plums.

Before warm weather comes all the plum trees should be looked over, and any that show marks of black knot and that indicate black knot should be removed with a sharp knife and the wound washed with carbolic acid solution or some other antiseptic. In fact, it is a good plan to spray plum trees with a carbolic acid solution, made one part of carbolic acid to 2,000 parts of water. This will remain on the spores which are dormant during the winter until they burst their bounds and begin to spread the disease over the trees. The solution named is much stronger than can be applied after the foliage is in its tender growth.

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WHITES CREAM VERMIFUGE.

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According to La Lucha, of Havana a royalist party has been formed in Cuba. A Cuban General is said to be at the head of the movement. The military officials know the man, but think him more interested in black-mail than in revolutionary schemes.

What among human ills are more annoying than piles? The ailments that prevent active exercise are bad enough, but that makes even rest miserable. Women are among its greatest martyrs. TABLETS BUCKEYEPLE OINTMENT will cure the most obstinate cases. Price 50¢ in bottle, tubes 75¢.—J. H. Orme.

Damage from floods in the Brazos valley is estimated at \$4,000,000. The loss of life is not believed to be great. The waters are still high, and it will be some time before railways can be repaired and the full extent of the loss ascertained.

Thomas Thurman, deputy sheriff of Troy, Mo., says if everyone in the United States should discover the virtue of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, the demand could not be supplied.

While feeding a threshing machine in Bracken county, Ky., John Case was caught by the separator, pulled into the machine and his body torn to pieces.

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Rev. Dr. E. Y. Mullins, of Newton Center, Mass., was unanimously elected President of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary by the Board of Directors in session at Atlanta, Ga.

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